



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 5448

LCO No. 3176



Referred to Committee on INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE

Introduced by:
(INS)

***AN ACT CONCERNING EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES LIABILITY
INSURANCE POLICIES.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2022*) (a) No insurance company
2 doing business in this state, third-party claims administrator, agent or
3 adjuster for such company providing employment practices liability
4 coverage shall require an insured to pay for the privilege of selecting
5 legal counsel of their choice for representation in a legal claim covered
6 under said policy.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>October 1, 2022</i>	New section
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Statement of Purpose:

To prevent insurance companies from requiring their insureds to pay for the privilege of selecting legal counsel of their choice in connection with employment practices liability insurance policies.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]